

# A COMPACT IMBEDDING OF RIEMANNIAN SYMMETRIC SPACES

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Abstract. Let G be a connected real semisimple Lie group with finite center and  $\theta$  be a Cartan involution of G. Suppose that K is the maximal compact subgroup of Gcorresponding to the Cartan involution  $\theta$ . The coset space  $\mathbf{X} = G/K$  is then a Riemannian symmetric space. In this paper, choosing reduced root by system  $\Sigma' = \{ \alpha \in \Sigma \mid 2\alpha \notin \Sigma; \alpha / 2 \notin \Sigma \}$  instead of restricted root system  $\Sigma$  and using the action of the Weyl group, first we construct a compact real analytic manifold X in which the Riemannian symmetric space G/K is realized as an open subset and that G acts analytically on it; then, we consider the real analytic structure of  $\mathbf{X}$  induced from the real analytic structure of  $A_{\mathbb{R}}$ , the compactification of the corresponding vectorial part.

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# 1 Introduction

Let *G* be a connected real semisimple Lie group with finite center and  $\mathfrak{g}$  be the Lie algebra of *G*. Denote the Cartan involution of *G* by  $\theta$  and *K* the fixed points of  $\theta$ . Then, *K* is a maximal compact subgroup of *G*, and the coset space  $\mathbf{X} = G/K$  becomes a Riemannian symmetric space. We also denote by  $\theta$  the Cartan involution of  $\mathfrak{g}$ , corresponding to the Cartan involution  $\theta$  of *G*. It follows that  $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{k} + \mathfrak{p}$  is the Cartan decomposition of  $\mathfrak{g}$  into eigenspaces of  $\theta$ , where  $\mathfrak{k}$  is the Lie algebra of *K*.

Let  $\mathfrak{a}$  be a maximal abelian subspace in  $\mathfrak{p}$  and  $\mathfrak{a}^*$  be the dual space of  $\mathfrak{a}$ . The corresponding analytic subgroup A of  $\mathfrak{a}$  in G is, then, called the vectorial part of X. For  $\mathfrak{a}$  non zero  $\alpha \in \mathfrak{a}^*$ , non zero eigenspace

$$\mathfrak{g}_{\alpha} = \{Y \in \mathfrak{g} \mid [H, Y] = \alpha(H)Y, \, \forall H \in \mathfrak{a}\}$$

is called the root space, and the corresponding  $\alpha$ 's the restricted root. Then, the set  $\Sigma = \{\alpha \in \mathfrak{a}^* | \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha} \neq \{0\}, \alpha \neq 0\}$  defines a root system with the inner product induced by the Killing form  $\langle , \rangle$  of  $\mathfrak{g}$ . Moreover, Weyl group W of  $\Sigma$  is defined with normalizer  $N_{\kappa}(\mathfrak{a})$  of  $\mathfrak{a}$  in K modulo the centralizer  $M = Z_{\kappa}(\mathfrak{a})$  of  $\mathfrak{a}$  in K. It acts naturally on  $\mathfrak{a}$  and coincides via this action with the reflection group of the root system  $\Sigma$ .

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Choose a fundamental system  $\Delta = \{\alpha_1, ..., \alpha_l\}$  of  $\Sigma$ , where number l, which equals dim  $\mathfrak{a}$ , is called the split rank of the symmetric space X and denote the corresponding set of all restricted positive roots in  $\Sigma$  by  $\Sigma^+$ .

Denote the complexification of  $\mathfrak{g}$  by  $\mathfrak{g}_{c}$  and  $G_{c}$  the corresponding analytic group. Let  $\mathfrak{a}_{c}$  be the complexification of  $\mathfrak{a}$  and  $A_{c}$  be the analytic subgroup of  $\mathfrak{a}_{c}$  in  $G_{c}$ . For each  $a \in A_{c}$  and  $\alpha \in \Sigma$ , we define  $a^{\alpha} = e^{\alpha \log a} \in \mathbb{C}^{*} = \mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$  and consider

$$A_{\rm IR} = \{ a \in A_{\rm C} \mid a^{\alpha} \in {\rm IR}, \, \forall \alpha \in \Sigma \}.$$

Let  $(\mathbf{C}^*)^{\Sigma}$  be the set of complexes  $z = (z_{\beta})_{\beta \in \Sigma}$ , where  $z_{\beta} \in \mathbf{C}^*$  and  $\mathbf{CIP}^1$  be the 1dimensional complex projective space. Then, we can define

$$\varphi: A_{\mathbf{C}} \to (\mathbf{C}^*)^{\Sigma}, a \mapsto \varphi(a) = (a^{\alpha})_{\alpha \in \Sigma}.$$

In [2], based on the natural embedding of  $(\mathbf{C}^*)^{\Sigma}$  into  $(\mathbf{CP}^1)^{\Sigma}$ , we obtained an embedding of  $A_{\mathbb{IR}}$  into a compact real analytic manifold  $A_{\mathbb{IR}}$  which is called a compactification of  $A_{\mathbb{IR}}$ , and then constructed a realization of G/K in a compact real analytic manifold. In [3], we applied the construction for semisimple symmetric spaces, and determined the system of invariant differential operators on the corresponding compactifications [4].

In this paper, by choosing reduced root system  $\Sigma' = \{\alpha \in \Sigma \mid 2\alpha \notin \Sigma; \frac{\alpha}{2} \notin \Sigma\}$  instead of  $\Sigma$ 

and using the action of the Weyl group, first we construct a compact real analytic manifold **X** in which the Riemannian symmetric space G/K is realized as an open subset and that G acts analytically on it; then, we consider the real analytic structure of **X** induced from the real analytic structure of  $A_{\rm IR}$ .

Our construction is a motivation for the construction of Oshima and Sekiguchi [7] for affine symmetric spaces and it is similar to those in [6], [8], [9] for semisimple symmetric spaces.

# 2 A compactification of the vectorial part

In this section, we recall some notations and results concerning compactification  $A_{\mathbb{R}}$  of vectorial part  $A_{\mathbb{R}}$  constructed in [2] and then illustrate the construction via the case of symmetric space  $SL(n, \mathbb{R}) / SO(n)$ .

Let *G* be a connected real semisimple Lie group with a finite center and  $\mathfrak{g}$  be the Lie algebra of *G*. Denote the complexification of  $\mathfrak{g}$  by  $\mathfrak{g}_c$  and  $G_c$  the corresponding analytic group. For simplicity, we assume that *G* is a real form of complex Lie group  $G_c$ . Let  $\mathfrak{a}_c$  be the complexification of  $\mathfrak{a}$  and  $A_c$  be the analytic subgroup of  $\mathfrak{a}_c$  in  $G_c$ . Then, we can consider the

map  $\varphi : A_{\mathbb{C}} \to (\mathbb{C}^*)^{\Sigma}$ , which is defined with  $\varphi(a) = (a^{\alpha})_{\alpha \in \Sigma}, \forall a \in A_{\mathbb{C}}$ , where  $(\mathbb{C}^*)^{\Sigma}$  is the set of complexes  $z = (z_{\beta})_{\beta \in \Sigma}$ .

It follows that for every  $z = (z_{\alpha})_{\alpha \in \Sigma} \in \varphi(A_{C})$ , we have

$$z_{-\alpha} = (z_{\alpha})^{-1}, \,\forall \, \alpha \in \Sigma$$
<sup>(1)</sup>

$$z_{\alpha} = \prod_{\gamma \in \Delta} (z_{\gamma})^{k(\alpha, \gamma)}, \, \forall \alpha \in \Sigma^{+}, \, \alpha = \sum_{\gamma \in \Delta} k(\alpha, \gamma).\gamma.$$
<sup>(2)</sup>

Denote the 1-dimensional complex projective space by  $\mathbb{C}\mathbb{P}^1$ . Then, based on the natural embedding of  $(\mathbb{C}^*)^{\Sigma}$  into  $(\mathbb{C}\mathbb{P}^1)^{\Sigma}$ , we get an embedding map of  $A_{\mathbb{C}}$  into  $(\mathbb{C}\mathbb{P}^1)^{\Sigma}$  denoted also by  $\varphi$ .

Let  $\mathbf{M} = \{z \in (\mathbb{IRIP}^1)^{\Sigma} \mid z_{-\alpha} = z_{\alpha}^{-1}, \forall \alpha \in \Sigma \}$ . By definition, we see that  $\mathbf{M}$  is compact. Moreover, subset

$$\mathcal{U}_{\Sigma^+} = \{ m = (m_{\alpha}, m_{-\alpha}) \in \mathbf{M} \mid m_{\alpha} \in \mathbf{IR}, m_{-\alpha} \in \mathbf{IR}^* \cup \{\infty\}, \forall \alpha \in \Sigma^+ \}$$

is an open subset in  $(\operatorname{IRIP}^1)^{\Sigma^+}$ , and we get homeomorphism  $\chi_{\Sigma^+} : \mathcal{U}_{\Sigma^+} \to \operatorname{IR}^{\Sigma^+}$  defined by  $\chi_{\Sigma^+}(m) = (m_\alpha)_{\alpha \in \Sigma^+}, \forall m \in \mathcal{U}_{\Sigma^+}.$ 

Recall that *W* acts on **M** by  $(w.z)_{\alpha} = z_{w^{-1}\alpha}, \forall \alpha \in \Sigma, w \in W, z \in \mathbf{M}$ , we obtain  $\mathcal{U}_{w(\Sigma^+)} = w.(\mathcal{U}_{\Sigma^+}), \forall w \in W$ . Then, it follows from [2, Lemma 1.2] that pair  $(\mathcal{U}_{\Sigma^+}, \chi_{\Sigma^+})$  is a chart on **M** and  $\{(\mathcal{U}_{w(\Sigma^+)}, \chi_{w(\Sigma^+)})\}_{w \in W}$  defines an atlas of charts on **M** such that **M** becomes a real analytic submanifold.

Now, for each  $a \in A_{\mathbf{C}}$  and  $\alpha \in \Sigma$ , we define  $a^{\alpha} = e^{\alpha \log a} \in \mathbf{C}^* = \mathbf{C} \setminus \{0\}$  and consider subset

$$A_{\rm IR} = \{ a \in A_{\rm C} \mid a^{\alpha} \in {\rm IR}, \, \forall \alpha \in \Sigma \}.$$

By definition,  $\varphi(A_{\mathbb{R}})$  is a subset of  $(\mathbb{R}\mathbb{IP}^1)^{\Sigma}$ . Denote the closure of  $\varphi(A_{\mathbb{R}})$  in  $(\mathbb{R}\mathbb{IP}^1)^{\Sigma}$  by  $A_{\mathbb{R}}$ . It follows from (1) and (2) that  $A_{\mathbb{R}}$  is a compact subset in **M**.

Let  $\mathcal{U}_{\Delta}$  be the subset of  $\mathcal{U}_{s^+}$  consisting of elements  $m = (m_{\alpha}, m_{-\alpha})$  such that

$$m_{\alpha} = \prod_{\gamma \in \Delta} (m_{\gamma})^{k(\alpha,\gamma)}, \, \forall \alpha \in \Sigma^+, \, \alpha = \sum_{\gamma \in \Delta} k(\alpha,\gamma).\gamma$$

Then,  $\mathcal{U}_{\Delta}$  is an open subset in  $A_{\mathbb{IR}}$ . It follows that

$$\chi_{\Sigma^{+}}(\mathcal{U}_{\Delta}) = \{ x \in \mathbb{IR}^{\Sigma^{+}} \mid x_{\alpha} = \prod_{\gamma \in \Delta} (x_{\gamma})^{k(\alpha, \gamma)} \}$$

and we get homeomorphism  $\chi_{\Delta} : \mathcal{U}_{\Delta} \to \mathbb{R}^{\Delta}$  defined by  $\chi_{\Delta}(m) = (m_{\gamma})_{\gamma \in \Delta}$ , for all  $m \in \mathcal{U}_{\Delta}$ . In addition, we can define an atlas of charts on  $A_{\mathbb{R}}$  induced from the atlas of charts that is defined on M.

**Theorem 2.1** ([2, Theorem 1.4])  $A_{\mathbb{R}}$  is a compact real analytic manifold that is called a compactification of  $A_{\mathbb{R}}$ . The set of charts  $\{(\mathcal{U}_{w(\Delta)}, \chi_{w(\Delta)})\}_{w\in W}$  defines an atlas of charts on  $A_{\mathbb{R}}$  so that the manifold  $A_{\mathbb{R}}$  is covered by |W|-many charts.

**Example 2.2** Consider real semi-simple Lie group  $G = SL(n, \mathbb{R})$  and denote  $\mathfrak{g} = sl(n, \mathbb{R})$ , the corresponding Lie algebra of *G*. Suppose that  $\theta$  is the Cartan involution defined by  $\theta(X) = ({}^{t}X)^{-1}, \forall X \in G$  and K = SO(n) is the maximal compact subgroup in *G* with respect to  $\theta$ . Then,  $\mathfrak{g} = \mathfrak{k} \oplus \mathfrak{p}$  is the Cartan decomposition of  $\mathfrak{g}$  with respect to  $\theta$ , where  $\mathfrak{k} = so(n)$  is the Lie algebra of *K*. Moreover, we have that  $G/K = SL(n, \mathbb{R})/SO(n)$  is a Riemannian symmetric space of non-compact type.

Then, we get a maximal abelian subspace in g defined by

$$\mathfrak{a} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} t_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & t_2 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \cdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & t_n \end{pmatrix} | t_1 + t_2 + \dots + t_n = 0 \right\}.$$

By definition, root system  $\Sigma$  of  $\mathfrak{a}$  in  $\mathfrak{g}$  is  $\Sigma = \{ e_i - e_j | 1 \le i \ne j \le n \}$ , and the Weyl group W is isomorphic to  $S_n$ , where  $S_n$  is the symmetric group of order n. Moreover, the corresponding analytic subgroup in G of  $\mathfrak{a}$  is defined by

$$A = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a_{1} & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & a_{2} & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & a_{n} \end{pmatrix} | a_{1}a_{2}\dots a_{n} = 1, a_{i} > 0 \right\} \simeq (0, \infty)^{n-1}$$

Then, we get

$$A_{\rm IR} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & a_2 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & a_n \end{pmatrix} | a_1 a_2 \dots a_n = 1 \right\} \simeq ({\rm IR}^*)^{n-1}.$$

By definition, we have

$$\mathbf{M} = \{ z \in (\mathbf{IRIP}^{1})^{\Sigma} \mid z_{-\alpha} = z_{\alpha}^{-1}, \forall \alpha \in \Sigma \}$$
$$= \{ (z_{\gamma}, z_{-\gamma}) \mid z_{\gamma} \in \mathbf{IP}^{1}(\mathbf{IR}), \gamma \in \Sigma^{+} \} \simeq (\mathbf{IRIP}^{1})^{\Sigma^{+}}$$

Moreover,  $\mathcal{U}_{\Sigma^+} = \{ m = (m_{\alpha}, m_{-\alpha}) \in \mathbf{M} \mid m_{\alpha} \in \mathbf{R}, \forall \alpha \in \Sigma^+ \} \simeq \mathbf{R}^{\Sigma^+}, \text{ where } |\Sigma^+| = \frac{n(n-1)}{2} \text{ and}$ 

the corresponding homeomorphism 
$$\chi_{\Sigma^+} : \mathcal{U}_{\Sigma^+} \to \mathbb{IR}^{\Sigma^-}$$
 is defined by

$$\chi_{\Sigma^+}(m) = (m_{\alpha})_{\alpha \in \Sigma^+}, \forall m \in \mathcal{U}_{\Sigma^+}.$$

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It follows that pair  $(\mathcal{U}_{\Sigma^+}, \chi_{\Sigma^+})$  is a chart on **M**, and  $\{(\mathcal{U}_{W(\Sigma^+)}, \chi_{W(\Sigma^+)})\}_{W \in W}$  defines an atlas of charts on **M** such that compact manifold **M** is covered by *n*!-many charts. By definition, we see that

$$\mathcal{U}_{\Delta} = \{ m \in \mathbf{M} \mid m_{\alpha} = \prod_{\gamma \in \Delta} (m_{\gamma})^{k(\alpha,\gamma)}, \alpha = \sum_{\gamma \in \Delta} k(\alpha,\gamma).\gamma, \forall \alpha \in \Sigma^{+} \}$$
$$\mathcal{\chi}_{\Sigma^{+}}(\mathcal{U}_{\Delta}) = \{ x \in \mathrm{I\!R}^{\Sigma^{+}} \mid x_{\alpha} = \prod_{\gamma \in \Delta} (x_{\gamma})^{k(\alpha,\gamma)} \} \simeq \mathrm{I\!R}^{\Delta} \simeq \mathrm{I\!R}^{n-1}.$$

Then, we get homeomorphism  $\chi_{\Delta} : \mathcal{U}_{\Delta} \to \mathbb{IR}^{n-1}$  defined by

$$\chi_{\Delta}(m) = (m_{\gamma})_{\gamma \in \Delta}, \, \forall m \in \mathcal{U}_{\Delta}.$$

Hence,  $A_{\mathbb{R}} \simeq \mathbb{R}^{n-1} \cup \{\infty\} \simeq S^{n-1}$  is a compact real analytic manifold and set of charts  $\{\mathcal{U}_{w(\Delta)}, \chi_{w(\Delta)}\}_{w\in W}$  defines an atlas of charts on  $A_{\mathbb{R}}$  so that manifold  $A_{\mathbb{R}}$  is covered by n!-many charts.

## **3** A realization of Riemannian symmetric spaces

Consider subset  $A_{\mathbb{R}} = \{ \tilde{a} \in A_{\mathbb{R}} \mid (\tilde{a})^{\alpha} \in [-1,1], \forall \alpha \in \Sigma \}$  and recall that the Weyl group *W* acts on  $A_{\mathbb{R}}$  by  $(w.\tilde{a})_{\alpha} = (\tilde{a})_{w^{-1}\alpha}, \forall w \in W, \forall \tilde{a} \in A_{\mathbb{R}}$ . Note that  $A_{\mathbb{R}}$  acts naturally on  $A_{\mathbb{R}}$ . Then, by definition, for each  $\tilde{a} \in A_{\mathbb{R}}$ , there exist  $t \in [-1,1]^{\Delta}$  and  $a_t \in A_{\mathbb{R}}$  such that  $\tilde{a} = a_t \cdot sgn t$  and this decomposition is unique. Here,  $sgn t = (sgn t_{\gamma})_{\gamma \in \Delta}$  and for an *s* in  $\mathbb{R}$ , we define sgn s = 1 (resp. 0, -1) if s > 0 (resp. s = 0, s < 0).

Now, for each  $\tilde{a} \in A_{\mathbb{R}}$ , there exists  $w \in W$  such that  $\tilde{a} \in \mathcal{U}_{w(\Sigma^+)} = w.(\mathcal{U}_{\Sigma^+})$ . By choosing a suitable positive system  $\Sigma^+$ , we obtain  $W.A_{\mathbb{R}}^- = A_{\mathbb{R}}$ .

Based on this, for each  $\tilde{a} \in A_{\mathrm{I\!R}}$ , we have unique decomposition  $\tilde{a} = \tilde{a}_{fin} \cdot \varepsilon(\tilde{a})$ , where  $\tilde{a}_{fin} \in A_{\mathrm{I\!R}}$  and  $\varepsilon(\tilde{a}) \in A_{\mathrm{I\!R}}$  such that  $\varepsilon(\tilde{a})^{\gamma} \in \{-1, 0, +1, \infty\}, \forall \gamma \in \Delta$ .

Motivation for the Oshima's definition [5],  $\varepsilon(\tilde{a})$  is called an extended signature of roots with respect to element  $\tilde{a}$ .

Note that for  $\tilde{a} \in A_{\mathbb{R}}$ , we obtain  $\varepsilon(\tilde{a}) \in \{-1, 0, +1\}^{\Delta}$  and for all  $\alpha \in \Sigma$ ,  $\alpha = \sum_{\gamma \in \Delta} k(\alpha, \gamma) \cdot \gamma$ , we have

$$\mathcal{E}(\tilde{a})^{\alpha} = \prod_{\gamma \in \Delta} (\mathcal{E}(\tilde{a})^{\gamma})^{|k(\alpha,\gamma)|}$$

It follows that mapping  $\mathcal{E}_{\tilde{a}}$  of  $\Sigma$  to { -1,0,+1 } is defined by

$$\varepsilon_{\tilde{a}}: \Sigma \to \{-1, 0, +1\}, \alpha \mapsto \varepsilon(\tilde{a})^{\alpha}$$

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is an extended signature of roots that is defined in [7, Definition 2.1].

Now, we go to define parabolic subalgebras with respect to extended signatures  $\varepsilon(\tilde{a})$ , for all  $\tilde{a} \in A_{\mathbb{R}}$ .

First, we consider  $\tilde{a} \in A_{\mathbb{R}}^{-}$  and let  $\varepsilon = \varepsilon(\tilde{a})$  denote the corresponding extended signature of roots. Put  $F_{\varepsilon} = \{ \gamma \in \Delta \mid \varepsilon_{\tilde{a}}(\gamma) = \varepsilon(\tilde{a})^{\gamma} \neq 0 \}$  and  $\Sigma_{F_{\varepsilon}} = (\sum_{\gamma \in F_{\varepsilon}} \mathbb{IR}\gamma) \cap \Sigma$ . Let  $\Sigma_{F_{\varepsilon}}^{+} = \Sigma^{+} \cap \Sigma_{F_{\varepsilon}}$ . Then, (see

[8]) following subsets

$$\begin{split} \mathfrak{a}_{\varepsilon} &= \{ H \in \mathfrak{a} \mid \alpha(H) = 0, \text{ for any } \alpha \in F_{\varepsilon} \}, \\ \mathfrak{a}(\varepsilon) &= \{ H \in \mathfrak{a} \mid < H, H' >= 0, \text{ for any } H' \in \mathfrak{a}_{\varepsilon} \}, \\ \mathfrak{n}_{\varepsilon} &= \sum_{\alpha \in \Sigma^{+} - \Sigma_{\varepsilon}^{+}} \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}, \mathfrak{n}_{\varepsilon}^{-} = \theta(\mathfrak{n}_{\varepsilon}), \\ \mathfrak{n}(\varepsilon) &= \sum_{\alpha \in \Sigma_{\varepsilon}^{+}} \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}, \mathfrak{n}^{-}(\varepsilon) = \theta(\mathfrak{n}(\varepsilon)), \\ \mathfrak{m}_{\varepsilon} &= \mathfrak{m} + \mathfrak{n}(\varepsilon) + \mathfrak{n}^{-}(\varepsilon) + \mathfrak{a}(\varepsilon) \end{split}$$

are Lie subalgebras of g.

Let  $W_{F_{\varepsilon}}$  be the subgroup of W generated by reflections with respect to  $\gamma$  in  $F_{\varepsilon}$  and let  $A_{\varepsilon}, A(\varepsilon), N_{\varepsilon}, N_{\varepsilon}^{-}, N(\varepsilon), N^{-}(\varepsilon)$  and  $(M_{\varepsilon})_{0}$  denote the analytic subgroups of G to  $\mathfrak{a}_{\varepsilon}, \mathfrak{a}(\varepsilon), \mathfrak{n}_{\varepsilon}, \mathfrak{n}_{\varepsilon}^{-}, \mathfrak{n}(\varepsilon), \mathfrak{n}^{-}(\varepsilon)$  and  $\mathfrak{m}_{\varepsilon}$ , respectively.

Then, we can define parabolic subalgebra  $\mathfrak{p}_{\varepsilon}$  in  $\mathfrak{g}$ , where  $\mathfrak{p}_{\varepsilon} = \mathfrak{m}_{\varepsilon} + \mathfrak{a}_{\varepsilon} + \mathfrak{n}_{\varepsilon}$  is its Langlands decomposition. Let  $P_{\varepsilon}$  denote the parabolic subgroup in G with respect to  $\mathfrak{p}_{\varepsilon}$ , we see that  $P_{\varepsilon} = M_{\varepsilon}A_{\varepsilon}N_{\varepsilon}$  is the corresponding Langlands decomposition of  $P_{\varepsilon}$ .

Moreover, it follows from [7, Lemma 2.3] that  $P(\varepsilon) = (M_{\varepsilon} \cap K)A_{\varepsilon}N_{\varepsilon}$  is a closed subgroup of *G*, where  $M_{\varepsilon} = (M_{\varepsilon})_0 M$  and

$$N^{-} \times A(\varepsilon) \times P(\varepsilon) \to G, (n, a, p) \mapsto nap$$

is an analytic diffeomorphism onto an open submanifold of G.

In general, for each  $\tilde{\eta} = w.\tilde{a} \in A_{\mathbb{R}}$ , where  $w \in W$  and  $\tilde{a} \in A_{\mathbb{R}}$ , we first consider parabolic subgroup  $P_{\varepsilon} = M_{\varepsilon}A_{\varepsilon}N_{\varepsilon}$  with respect to  $\varepsilon = \varepsilon(\tilde{a})$ , the corresponding extended signature of  $\tilde{a}$ . Then, we can define parabolic subgroup  $P_{\tilde{\eta}} = \underline{w}.P_{\varepsilon}.\underline{w}^{-1}$  based on the action of the Weyl group W on parabolic subgroup  $P_{\varepsilon}$ . Here,  $\underline{w}$  denotes a representative for  $w \in W$  in  $N_{\kappa}(\mathfrak{a})$  [1].

Now, we put  $\Sigma' = \{ \alpha \in \Sigma \mid 2\alpha \notin \Sigma; \frac{\alpha}{2} \notin \Sigma \}$ , and denote  $\Sigma'_{\varepsilon} = \{ \alpha \in \Sigma' \mid \varepsilon_{\tilde{a}}(\alpha) = 1 \}$  for every extended signature  $\varepsilon_{\tilde{a}}$  of roots defined by  $\varepsilon(\tilde{a})$ . Then, (see [7]) it follows that  $\Sigma'$  and  $\Sigma'_{\varepsilon}$ 

are reduced root systems. Let  $W', W'_{\varepsilon}$  and  $W'_{F_{\varepsilon}}$  be the subgroups of W generated by the reflections with respect to the roots in  $\Sigma', \Sigma'_{\varepsilon}$  and  $\Sigma'_{F_{\varepsilon}}$ .

Put  $A'_{\mathbb{R}} = W'.A_{\mathbb{R}}$  and consider product manifold  $G \times A'_{\mathbb{R}}$ . Let  $x = (g, \tilde{\eta})$  be an element of  $G \times A_{\mathbb{R}}$ , where  $\tilde{\eta} = w.\tilde{a}$ , in which  $w \in W'$  and  $\tilde{a} \in A_{\mathbb{R}}$ . Then, we get  $\varepsilon_x = \varepsilon(\tilde{a})$ , the extended signature of roots with respect to  $\tilde{a}$ . For simplicity, we use letters P(x),  $F_x$ ,  $\Sigma_x$ ,  $\Sigma'_x$ ,  $W'_x$ ,... instead of  $P(\varepsilon_x)$ ,  $F_{\varepsilon_x}$ ,  $\Sigma_{\varepsilon_x}$ ,  $\Sigma'_{\varepsilon_x}$ ,  $W'_{\varepsilon_{\varepsilon_x}}$ ,..., respectively.

Let  $\{H_1, H_2, ..., H_l\}$  denote the dual basis of  $\Delta = \{\alpha_1, ..., \alpha_l\}$ , that is,  $H_j \in \mathfrak{a}$  and  $\alpha_i(H_j) = \delta_{ij}, \forall i, j = 1, 2, ..., l$  and put  $a(x) = exp(-\frac{1}{2}\sum_{\gamma \in F_x} \log |t_\gamma| |H_\gamma)$ , where  $H_\gamma \in \{H_1, H_2, ..., H_l\}$  with respect to  $\gamma$ .

Let  $W(x) = \{w \in W_x \mid \Sigma_x \cap w\Sigma^+ = \Sigma_x \cap \Sigma^+\}$ . By [7, Lemma 2.5], we see that  $W(x) = \{w \in W'_x \mid \Sigma'_x \cap w\Sigma^+ = \Sigma'_x \cap \Sigma^+\}$ .

Now, we go to define an equivalent relation for points in  $G \times A'_{\mathbb{R}}$ .

**Definition 3.1** We say that two elements  $x = (g, \omega.\tilde{a})$  and  $x' = (g', \omega'.\tilde{a})$  of  $G \times A'_{\mathbb{R}}$  are equivalent if and only if the following conditions hold

- (i)  $w.\varepsilon_x = w'.\varepsilon_{x'}$
- (ii)  $w^{-1}w' \in W(x)$
- (ii)  $ga(x)P(x)\underline{w} = g'a(x')P(x)\underline{w'}$ .

Then, it follows that (see [7]) Definition 3.1 really gives an equivalence relation, which we write  $x \sim x'$ . Moreover, assume that two points x and x' in  $G \times A'_{\mathbb{R}}$  satisfy conditions (i) and (ii), we get that  $Ad(\underline{w'}^{-1}\underline{w})(\mathfrak{p}(x)) = \mathfrak{p}(x')$ , where  $\mathfrak{p}(x)$  and  $\mathfrak{p}(x')$  are Lie algebras of Lie groups P(x) and P(x'), respectively. Here, we note that Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{p}(x)$  of Lie group P(x) has the following form

$$\mathfrak{p}(x) = \mathfrak{m} + \mathfrak{a}_x + \sum_{\alpha \in \Sigma} \{ X + \mathcal{E}_{\tilde{a}}(\alpha) \theta(X) \mid X \in \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha} \}.$$

Based on this and the relation  $\underline{w}M\underline{w}^{-1} = \underline{w}'M\underline{w'}^{-1}$ , we have  $\underline{w}P(x)\underline{w}^{-1} = \underline{w}'P(x')\underline{w'}^{-1}$ . It follows that the condition (iii) is equivalent to

$$ga(x)P(x) = g'a(x')\underline{w'}^{-1}\underline{w}P(x)$$
(3)

in G/P(x).

Then, we see that the action of *G* on  $G \times A'_{IR}$  is compatible with the equivalence relation. The quotient space of  $G \times A'_{IR}$  by this equivalence relation then becomes a topological space with the quotient topology and denoted by **X**'.

Let  $\pi: G \times A'_{\mathbb{IR}} \to \mathbf{X}'$  be the natural projection. Since the action of G on  $G \times A'_{\mathbb{IR}}$  is compatible with the equivalence relation, we can define an action of G on  $\mathbf{X}'$  by

$$g_1\pi(g,\tilde{a}) = \pi(g_1g,\tilde{a}), \,\forall g, g_1 \in G, \tilde{a} \in A'_{\mathrm{IR}}.$$
(4)

Put  $A'_{\mathbb{R},\varepsilon} = \{\tilde{a} \in A'_{\mathbb{R}} \mid \varepsilon(\tilde{a}) = \varepsilon\}$  for each  $\varepsilon \in \{-1,0,1\}^{\wedge}$  and  $\mathbf{X}_{\varepsilon} = \pi(G \times A'_{\mathbb{R},\varepsilon})$ .

**Proposition 3.2** *The quotient topological space*  $\mathbf{X}$  *has the following properties:* 

(i) **X** is a compact connected *G*-space and  $\mathbf{X} = \bigcup_{\varepsilon \in \{-1,0,1\}^{\Delta}} \mathbf{X}_{\varepsilon}$  gives the orbital decomposition of **X** for the action of *G* on it.

(ii)  $\mathbf{X}_{\varepsilon} = \pi(G \times A'_{\mathbb{IR},\varepsilon})$  is homeomorphic to  $G / P(\varepsilon)$  for each  $\varepsilon \in \{-1,0,1\}^{\Delta}$ .

*Proof.* (i) Since  $\pi(G \times w.\mathcal{U}_{\Delta})$  is connected for every  $w \in W'$ , and W' is generated by elements  $w_{\beta_1}, ..., w_{\beta_{l'}}$ , where  $\{\beta_1, ..., \beta_{l'}\}$  is a fundamental system of roots for  $\Sigma'$ , we see that the quotient space **X**' is connected.

Consider compact subset  $K \times A'_{\mathbb{R}} = K \times W' \cdot A_{\mathbb{R}} \simeq K \times [-1,1]^{\Delta} \times W'$  of the product manifold  $G \times A'_{\mathbb{R}}$ . Then, subset  $\pi(K \times A_{\mathbb{R}})$  is also compact because it is the image of a compact set under continuous map  $\pi$ .

Let  $\mathfrak{a}^+$  denote the positive chamber corresponding to  $\Sigma^+$  and put  $A^+ = \exp \mathfrak{a}^+$ . Let  $\overline{A^+} = \{ \exp X \mid X \in \mathfrak{a} \text{ with } \alpha(X) \ge 0 \text{ for all } \alpha \in \Sigma^+ \}$  denote the closure of  $A^+$ , we see that

$$\overline{A^{+}} = \{ \exp(-\frac{1}{2}\sum_{\gamma} (\log t_{\gamma})H_{\gamma}) \mid t_{\gamma} \in (0,1] \}.$$

Fix  $\varepsilon \in \{-1,1\}^{\Delta}$  and let  $x = (g, \omega.\tilde{a})$  be an arbitrary point in  $G \times A'_{\mathbb{R},\varepsilon}$ . Then, it follows from Cartan decomposition  $G = K\overline{A^+}K$  [8] that there exist  $k \in K$  and  $h \in \overline{A_x^+}$  such that

$$khP(x) = ga(x)P(x),$$

where  $\overline{A_x^+} = \{ \exp X \mid X \in \mathfrak{a} \text{ with } \alpha(X) \ge 0 \text{ for all } \alpha \in \Sigma_x^+ \}.$ 

Note that  $\mathfrak{a}_x^+$  is a fundamental domain for the action of  $W_x$ , so we can apply Lemma 2.5 in [7] to imply that compact set  $\pi(K \times A'_{\mathbb{R}})$  contains subset  $\pi(G \times A'_{\mathbb{R},\varepsilon})$  for every  $\varepsilon \in \{-1,1\}^{\Delta}$ .

Moreover, since  $G \times A'_{\mathbb{IR},\varepsilon}$  is dense in  $G \times A'_{\mathbb{IR}}$  and  $K \times A'_{\mathbb{IR}}$  is compact, it follows that  $\pi(G \times A'_{\mathbb{IR},\varepsilon})$  is also dense in **X**'. Then, **X**' is also compact.

(ii) Put  $\tilde{a} \in A_{\mathbb{R},\varepsilon}$  for each  $\varepsilon \in \{-1,0,1\}^{\Delta}$  and define a map  $\Psi : G/P(\varepsilon) \to \mathbf{X}_{\varepsilon}$  by  $\Psi(gP(\varepsilon)) = \pi(g,\tilde{a}), \forall g \in G$ . Then, we we can prove that the map is well defined and becomes an homeomorphism which is equivariant for the action of *G*. This follows the Proposition.

Now, we construct an analytic structure on topological space **X** based on the analytic structure on  $A_{\rm IR}$ .

Consider the atlas of charts  $\{(\mathcal{U}_{w(\Delta)}, \chi_{w(\Delta)})\}_{w\in W}$  on  $A_{\mathbb{R}}$  defined in Theorem 2.1, where  $\mathcal{U}_{w(\Delta)} = w.\mathcal{U}_{\Delta}$ , and  $\chi_{w(\Delta)} : \mathcal{U}_{w(\Delta)} \to \mathbb{R}^{w(\Delta)}$  is a homeomorphism defined by

$$\chi_{w(\Delta)}(w.m) = (m_{w^{-1}w})_{\gamma \in \Delta}, \forall m \in \mathcal{U}_{\Delta}, w \in W.$$

For every  $g \in G$  and  $w \in W'$ , we put  $\Omega_g^w = \pi(gN^- \times \mathcal{U}_{w(\Delta)})$ , in which  $N^-$  is the analytic subgroup of G corresponding to  $\mathfrak{n}^- = \theta(\mathfrak{n})$ , where  $\mathfrak{n} = \sum_{\alpha \in \Sigma^+} \mathfrak{g}_{\alpha}$  and define  $\Phi_g^w : N^- \times \mathrm{IR}^{\Delta} \to \Omega_g^w$  by  $\Phi_g^w(n,t) = \pi(gn, w\tilde{a}_t), \forall (n,t) \in N^- \times \mathrm{IR}^{\Delta}.$ 

Based on homeomorphism  $\chi_{w(\Delta)} : \mathcal{U}_{w(\Delta)} \to \mathbb{R}^{w(\Delta)}$  with respect to  $w \in W'$ , we can define a homeomorphism between  $gN^- \times \mathcal{U}_{w(\Delta)}$  and  $gN^- \times \{w\} \times \mathbb{R}^{|\Delta|}$  for every  $g \in G$ . Combine this with the proof of Lemma 2.8 (ii) in [7], we get

**Lemma 3.3** For every  $g \in G$  and  $w \in W'$ ,  $\Phi_g^w$  is a homeomorphism of  $N^- \times \mathbb{R}^{\Delta}$  onto an open subset  $\Omega_g^w = \pi(gN^- \times \mathcal{U}_{w(\Delta)})$  of **X**'.

Now, consider the map  $(\Phi_{g'}^{w'})^{-1} \circ (\Phi_g^w) : (\Phi_g^w)^{-1} (\Omega_g^w \cap \Omega_{g'}^{w'}) \to (\Phi_{g'}^{w'})^{-1} (\Omega_g^w \cap \Omega_{g'}^{w'})$  for  $g, g' \in G$ and  $w, w' \in W'$ . By definition,  $\Phi_g^w$  is bijective and continuous. It follows that  $(\Phi_{g'}^{w'})^{-1} \circ (\Phi_g^w)$  is bijective and its inverse is of the same form. Moreover, we have

**Lemma 3.4** Let  $g, g' \in G$  and  $w, w' \in W'$ . Then,

$$(\Phi_{g'}^{w'})^{-1} \circ (\Phi_g^w) : (\Phi_g^w)^{-1} (\Omega_g^w \cap \Omega_{g'}^{w'}) \to (\Phi_{g'}^{w'})^{-1} (\Omega_g^w \cap \Omega_{g'}^{w'})$$

defines an analytic diffeomorphism between the open subsets of  $N^- \times \mathbb{R}^{\Delta}$ .

*Proof.* We have only to show that  $(\Phi_{g'}^{w'})^{-1} \circ (\Phi_{g}^{w})$  is analytic.

Note that based on the homeomorphism between  $gN^- \times U_{\Delta}$  and  $gN^- \times IR^{|\Delta|}$  for every  $g \in G$ , we can prove the Lemma under condition w = w' by the same way as the proof of Lemma 7 in [5]. Now, we will prove the Lemma without condition w' = w.

For any  $q \in \Omega_g^w \cap \Omega_{g'}^{w'}$ , we can choose (n,t) and (n',t') in  $N^- \times \mathbb{R}^{\Delta}$  such that  $\pi(x) = \pi(x') = q$ , where  $x = (gn, w.\tilde{a}_t)$  and  $x' = (g'n', w'.\tilde{a}_{t'})$ . Then, we have

 $gna(x)P(x) = g'n'a(x')\underline{w'}^{-1}\underline{w}P(x)$ 

by (3). Put  $g_1 = gna(x)$ ,  $g_2 = g'n'a(x')$ ,  $g_3 = g_1 w^{-1} w'$  and consider maps

$$(\Phi_{g'}^{w'})^{-1} \circ \Phi_{g_2}^{w'} : (n,t) \mapsto (e,\varepsilon_t), (\Phi_{g_2}^{w'})^{-1} \circ \Phi_{g_3}^{w'} : (e,\varepsilon_t) \mapsto (e,\varepsilon_{t'}),$$

$$(\Phi_{g_1}^{w'})^{-1} \circ \Phi_{g_1}^{w} : (n,t) \mapsto (e, \varepsilon_{t'}) \text{ and } (\Phi_{g_1}^{w})^{-1} \circ \Phi_g^{w} : (e, \varepsilon_{t'}) \mapsto (n',t')$$

where  $\varepsilon_t = \varepsilon(\tilde{a}_t)$  and  $\varepsilon_{t'} = \varepsilon(\tilde{a}_{t'})$  belong to  $\{-1, 0, 1\}^{\Delta}$ .

Then, we see that  $(\Phi_{e'}^{w'})^{-1} \circ (\Phi_{e}^{w})$  is the composition of the above maps

$$(\Phi_{g'}^{w'})^{-1} \circ (\Phi_{g}^{w}) = ((\Phi_{g'}^{w'})^{-1} \circ \Phi_{g_2}^{w'}) \circ ((\Phi_{g_2}^{w'})^{-1} \circ \Phi_{g_3}^{w'}) \circ ((\Phi_{g_3}^{w'})^{-1} \circ \Phi_{g_1}^{w}) \circ ((\Phi_{g_1}^{w})^{-1} \circ \Phi_{g_1}^{w}).$$

It follows from what we have mentioned at the beginning of the proof, maps  $(\Phi_{g_1}^w)^{-1} \circ \Phi_g^w, (\Phi_{g_2}^{w'})^{-1} \circ \Phi_{g_3}^{w'}$  and  $(\Phi_{g'}^{w'})^{-1} \circ \Phi_{g_2}^{w'}$  are analytic diffeomorphisms between the open subsets of  $N^- \times \mathbb{R}^{\Delta}$ .

Moreover, by a similar way as the proof of Lemma 2.8 (iii) in [7], we can show that the map  $(\Phi_{g_3}^{w'})^{-1} \circ \Phi_{g_1}^{w}$  is analytic on an open subset of  $N^- \times \mathbb{R}^{\wedge}$  containing  $(e, \varepsilon_t)$ .

Since (n,t) is an arbitrary element in  $(\Phi_g^w)^{-1}(\Omega_g^w \cap \Omega_{g'}^{w'})$ , we see that  $(\Phi_{g'}^{w'})^{-1} \circ (\Phi_g^w)$  is analytic and the set  $(\Phi_g^w)^{-1}(\Omega_g^w \cap \Omega_{g'}^{w'})$  is open in  $N^- \times \mathbb{R}^{\Delta}$ . Because the inverse of the map  $(\Phi_{g'}^{w'})^{-1} \circ (\Phi_g^w)$  also has the same property, we have the Lemma.

Lemma 3.3 and Lemma 3.4 assure that we can define an analytic structure on **X**' through maps  $\Phi_g^w$  so that they define analytic diffeomorphisms onto open subsets  $\Omega_g^w$  of **X**' and the action of *G* on **X**' is analytic. On the other hand, based on the homeomorphism between  $gN^- \times U_{\Delta}$  and  $gN^- \times \mathbb{R}^{|\Delta|}$  for every  $g \in G$  and by a similar way as the proof of Theorem 2.7 in [7], we can prove that topological space **X**' is Hausdorff. Moreover, for an element  $w \in W'$ , the unique *G* -orbit which is isomorphic to G/K (resp. G/P) is just  $G\pi(e, w.\tilde{a}_{\varepsilon_1})$  (resp.  $G\pi(e, w.\tilde{a}_{\varepsilon_0})$ ). Combining this with Proposition 3.2, we get

**Theorem 3.5** *The quotient topological space* **X** *has the following properties:* 

(i) **X** is a compact connected real analytic manifold and  $\bigcup_{w \in W', g \in G} \Omega_g^w$  is an open covering of **X** such that maps  $\Phi_g^w$  are real analytic diffeomorphisms.

(ii) The action of G on **X** is analytic and orbit  $G\pi(x)$  for point x in **X** is isomorphic to homogeneous space G/P(x). In particular, the number of G -orbits which are isomorphic to G/K (resp. G/P) is just the number of elements in W'.

Let  $\operatorname{IR}_{1}^{\Lambda} = \{ t \in \operatorname{IR}^{\Lambda} | t_{\alpha} < 1 \text{ for every } \alpha \in \Sigma \}$ . Note that for any elements  $g \in G, k \in K, m \in M$ and  $w.\tilde{a}_{t} \in A'_{\mathbb{R}}$ , we have  $(gkm, w.\tilde{a}_{t}) \sim (gk, w.\tilde{a}_{t})$ . Then, we can define

 $\Psi_{p}^{w}: K / M \times \mathrm{IR}_{1}^{\Delta} \to \mathbf{X}, (kM, t) \mapsto \pi(gk, w.\tilde{a}_{t}).$ 

Based on Lemma 2.9 in [7] and Theorem 3.5, we have

**Corollary 3.6**  $\Psi_g^w: (kM,t) \mapsto \pi(gk, w.\tilde{a}_t)$  is an analytic diffeomorphism of product manifold  $K / M \times \mathrm{IR}_1^{\Lambda}$  to  $\mathbf{X}$ . Moreover,  $\bigcup_{w \in W', g \in G} \mathrm{Im} \Psi_g^w$  is an open covering of  $\mathbf{X}$ .

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