

Noncommutative equivalent to principal fiber bundles

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Splittings coming from connections

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathcal{N}_{\text{Der}}(\mathcal{A}) & \xrightarrow{\rho_E} & \Gamma_M(E) \\
 \downarrow \tau & & \downarrow \pi_* \\
 \text{Der}(\mathcal{A}) & \xrightarrow{\rho} & \Gamma(TM)
 \end{array}$$

$\begin{array}{c} X^h \\ \uparrow \\ \hline X \end{array}$

$$0 \longrightarrow \Gamma(TVE) \longrightarrow \Gamma_M(E) \xrightarrow{\pi_*} \Gamma(TM) \longrightarrow 0$$

Lift vector fields on M into horizontal vector fields X^h on E .

Splittings coming from connections

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathcal{N}_{\text{Der}}(\mathcal{A}) & \xrightarrow{\rho^E} & \Gamma_M(E) \\
 \downarrow \tau & & \downarrow \pi_* \\
 \text{Der}(\mathcal{A}) & \xrightarrow{\rho} & \Gamma(TM)
 \end{array}$$

$\nabla_X \longleftarrow X$

$X \xrightarrow{X^h} \overline{X}$

$$0 \longrightarrow \text{Int}(\mathcal{A}) \longrightarrow \text{Der}(\mathcal{A}) \xrightarrow{\rho} \Gamma(TM) \longrightarrow 0$$

Lift vector fields on M into derivations on \mathcal{A} .

Splittings coming from connections

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathcal{N}_{\text{Der}}(\mathcal{A}) & \xrightarrow{\rho^E} & \Gamma_M(E) \\
 \downarrow \tau & & \downarrow \pi_* \\
 \text{Der}(\mathcal{A}) & \xrightarrow{\rho} & \Gamma(TM)
 \end{array}$$

$\rho(\mathcal{X})^h - \text{ad}_{\alpha(\mathcal{X})}E$

$\mathcal{X} \xrightarrow{\quad} X^h$

$\nabla_X \leftarrow X$

$$0 \longrightarrow \mathcal{Z}_{\text{Der}}(\mathcal{A}) \longrightarrow \mathcal{N}_{\text{Der}}(\mathcal{A}) \xrightarrow{\tau} \text{Der}(\mathcal{A}) \longrightarrow 0$$

Lift derivations on \mathcal{A} into derivations on \mathcal{B} .

$\alpha(\mathcal{X})^E$ is the basic element in \mathcal{B} associated to $\alpha(\mathcal{X}) \in \mathcal{A}$.

Splittings coming from connections

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathcal{N}_{\text{Der}}(\mathcal{A}) & \xrightarrow{\rho^E} & \Gamma_M(E) \\
 \downarrow \tau & & \downarrow \pi_* \\
 \text{Der}(\mathcal{A}) & \xrightarrow{\rho} & \Gamma(TM)
 \end{array}$$

$(\pi_* \hat{X})^h + \omega_E(\hat{X})^E + ad_{\omega_E(\hat{X})} \longleftarrow \hat{X}$

$\rho(\mathcal{X})^h - ad_{\alpha(\mathcal{X})}^E \longleftarrow \mathcal{X}$

$\nabla_X \longleftarrow X$

$X^h \longleftarrow X$

$$0 \longrightarrow \text{Int}(\mathcal{A}) \longrightarrow \mathcal{N}_{\text{Der}}(\mathcal{A}) \xrightarrow{\rho^E} \Gamma_M(E) \longrightarrow 0$$

Lift π_* -projectable vector fields on E into derivations on \mathcal{B} .

Splittings coming from connections

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathcal{N}_{\text{Der}}(\mathcal{A}) & \xrightarrow{\rho^E} & \Gamma_M(E) \\
 \downarrow \tau & & \downarrow \pi_* \\
 \text{Der}(\mathcal{A}) & \xrightarrow{\rho} & \Gamma(TM)
 \end{array}$$

$(\pi_* \hat{X})^h + \omega_E(\hat{X})^E + ad_{\omega_E(\hat{X})} \longleftarrow \hat{X}$
 $\rho(\mathcal{X})^h - ad_{\alpha(\mathcal{X})}^E \longleftarrow \mathcal{X}$
 $\nabla_X \longleftarrow X$

$\mathcal{X} \xrightarrow{\uparrow} \rho(\mathcal{X})^h - ad_{\alpha(\mathcal{X})}^E$
 $X \xrightarrow{\uparrow} X^h$

Notice that

$$(\pi_* \hat{X})^h + \omega_E(\hat{X})^E + ad_{\omega_E(\hat{X})} \neq \rho(\mathcal{X})^h - ad_{\alpha(\mathcal{X})}^E$$

Splittings coming from connections

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathcal{N}_{\text{Der}}(\mathcal{A}) & \xrightarrow{\rho^E} & \Gamma_M(E) \\
 \downarrow \tau & & \downarrow \pi_* \\
 \text{Der}(\mathcal{A}) & \xrightarrow{\rho} & \Gamma(TM)
 \end{array}$$

$(\pi_* \hat{X})^h + \omega_E(\hat{X})^E + \text{ad}_{\omega_E(\hat{X})} \longleftarrow \hat{X}$
 $\rho(\mathcal{X})^h - \text{ad}_{\alpha(\mathcal{X})}^E \longleftarrow \mathcal{X}$
 $\nabla_X \longleftarrow X$

$\mathcal{X} \xrightarrow{\uparrow} (\pi_* \hat{X})^h + \omega_E(\hat{X})^E + \text{ad}_{\omega_E(\hat{X})}$
 $X \xrightarrow{\uparrow} \rho(\mathcal{X})^h - \text{ad}_{\alpha(\mathcal{X})}^E$
 $X \xrightarrow{\uparrow} \nabla_X$

Indeed one has:

$$\text{Der}(\mathcal{B}) \ni \mathfrak{X} = X^h + \underbrace{\text{ad}_Z}_{\in \text{Int}(\mathcal{A})} + \underbrace{\omega_E(\hat{X})^E + \text{ad}_{\omega_E(\hat{X})}}_{\in \mathcal{Z}_{\text{Der}}(\mathcal{A})}$$