

# GENERALIZED SEIBERG-WITTEN EQUATIONS ON GIBBONS-HAWKING SPACES

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## Seiberg-Witten equations

Let  $P$  be a  $Spin^{\mathbb{C}}(4) = (Sp(1)_+ \times Sp(1)_- \times U(1))_{\pm}$  principal bundle over a simply connected Riemannian manifold  $X$  with determinant line bundle  $L^2$ , obtained as a double cover  $P \xrightarrow{2:1} P_{SO(4)} \times_X P_{L^2}$ , where  $P_{SO(4)}$  is the frame bundle of  $X$ .

- The positive Spinor bundle  $S^+ = P \times_{\rho_+} \mathbb{H}$ ,  $\rho_+(q_+, q_-, \lambda) \cdot v = q_+ \cdot v \cdot \lambda$   $Sp(1)_+$  acts permuting,  $Sp(1)_-$  trivially and  $U(1)$  hyperKähler.
- The  $U(1)$  action admits a hyperKähler moment map

$$\mu = i \cdot \mu_I + j \cdot \mu_{\mathbb{C}} : \mathbb{H} \rightarrow \text{Im}(\mathbb{H})$$

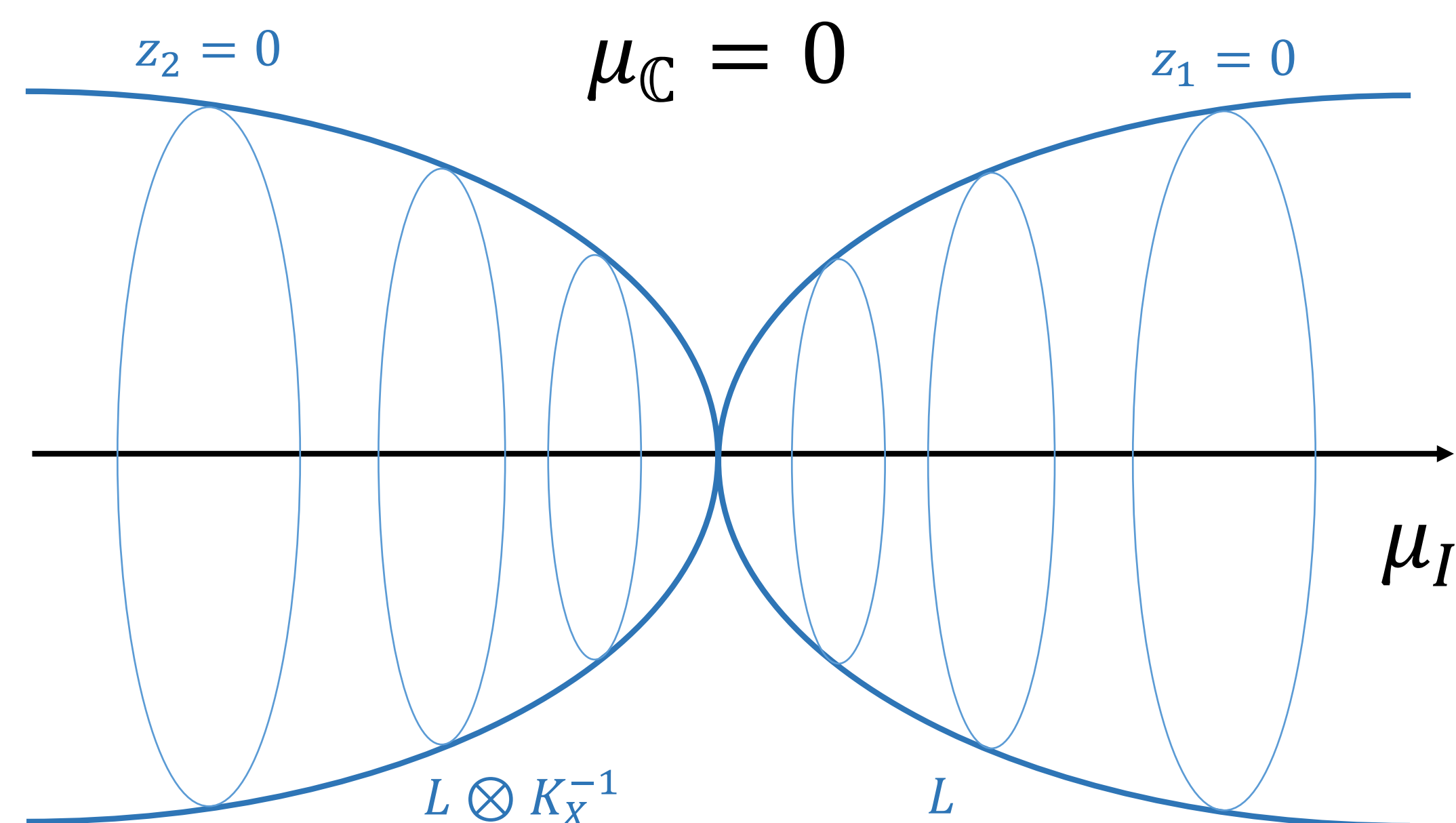
- A connection  $a$  on  $L^2$  lifts together with the Levi-Cevita connection  $a_{LC}$  on  $P_{SO(4)}$  to a connection  $A$  on  $P$ .
- Spinors are sections  $u \in \Gamma(X, S^+) = \text{Map}(P, \mathbb{H})^{Spin^{\mathbb{C}}(4)}$
- The **Seiberg-Witten equations**:

$$\not{D}^A(u) = 0, \quad F_a^+ = \mu \circ u$$

- If  $X$  is **Kähler**, the bundle  $P$  can be reduced to an  $(U(1) \times Sp(1)_- \times U(1))_{\pm}$  bundle  $Q$ .
- Identifying  $\mathbb{H} \simeq \mathbb{C}^2$  we have  $Q \times_{\rho_+} \mathbb{C}^2 = L \oplus (K_X^{-1} \otimes L)$ ,  $K_X$  the canonical bundle on  $X$ .
- Assuming  $L$  admits a holomorphic structure, the SW-Equations can be simplified, writing  $u = (\alpha, \beta)$ :

$$\bar{\partial}_a \alpha + \bar{\partial}_a^* \beta = 0, \quad (F_a^+)^{1,1} = \mu_I \circ u = \frac{1}{4}(|\alpha|^2 - |\beta|^2), \quad F_a^{2,0} = \mu_{\mathbb{C}} \circ u = \alpha \cdot \bar{\beta}$$

- Depending on  $L$ , either  $\alpha \equiv 0$  or  $\beta \equiv 0$ ,  $a$  determines a holomorphic structure and  $\bar{\beta}$  (or  $\alpha$ ) is a holomorphic section of  $K_X \otimes L^{-1}$  (or  $L$ ).



- By modding out the action of the (complexified) gauge group, one gets rid of the  $(F_a^+)^{1,1} = \dots$  equation.
- The moduli space is  $\mathbb{P}(H^0(X, L))$  (or  $K_X \otimes L^{-1}$  respectively), the space of holomorphic sections of  $L$  up to a scalar.

## Generalized Seiberg-Witten equations

Let  $Q$  be a  $G = (U(1)_+ \times Sp(1)_- \times U(1))_{\pm}$  principal bundle over a simply connected **Kähler** manifold  $X$  with determinant line bundle  $L^2$ , obtained as a double cover  $Q \xrightarrow{2:1} P_{U(2)} \times_X P_{L^2}$  and  $M$  a Gibbons-Hawking space as described on the right.

- The positive **non-linear** Spinor bundle  $W^+ = Q \times_{\rho_+} M$ , where  $U(1)_+$  permutes the complex structures  $J$  and  $K$ , while preserving  $I$ ,  $Sp(1)_-$  acts trivially and  $U(1)$  hyperKähler.
- The  $U(1)$  action admits a hyperKähler moment map  $\mu = i \cdot \mu_I + j \cdot \mu_{\mathbb{C}} : M \rightarrow \text{Im}(\mathbb{H})$ .
- A connection  $a$  on  $L^2$  lifts together with the Levi-Cevita connection  $a_{LC}$  on  $P_{U(2)}$  to a connection  $A$  on  $Q$ .
- Spinors are sections  $u \in \Gamma(X, W^+) = \text{Map}(Q, M)^G$
- The **generalized Seiberg-Witten equations**:

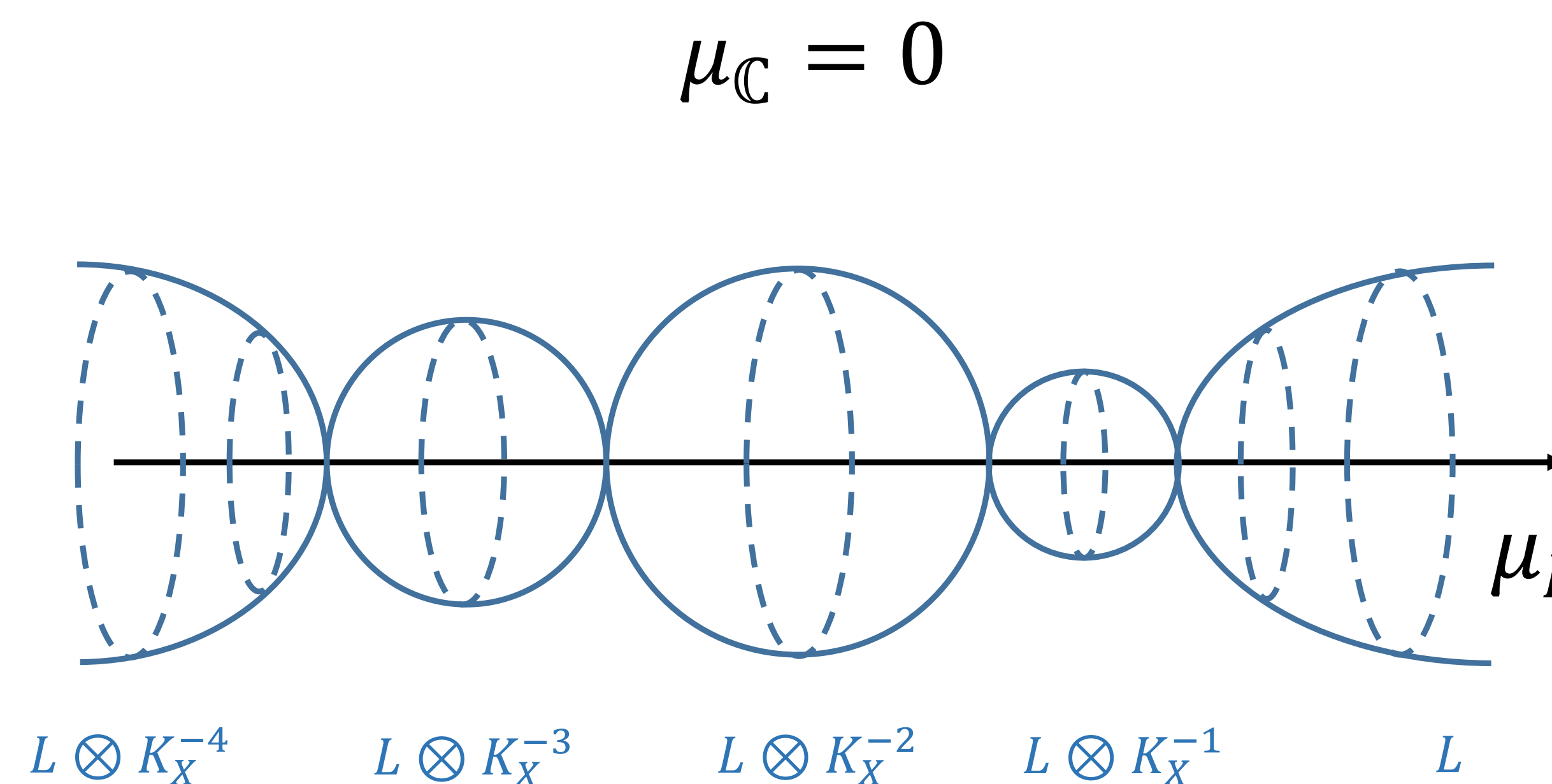
$$\not{D}^A(u) = 0, \quad F_a^+ = \mu \circ u$$

Here  $\not{D}^A$  is a **non-linear** Dirac operator.

- Assuming  $L$  admits a holomorphic structure, the gen. SW-Equations can be simplified:

$$F_a^{2,0} = \mu_{\mathbb{C}} \circ u = 0$$

and thus the connection  $a$  determines a holomorphic structure on  $Q$ , and  $u$  is a holomorphic map w.r.t. this structure.



- The image of  $u$  is fully contained in one of the spheres in the niveau set  $\mu_{\mathbb{C}} = 0$ , the particular sphere is determined by  $L$ .
- By modding out the action of the (complexified) gauge group, one gets rid of the  $(F_a^+)^{1,1} = \dots$  equation.
- The moduli space is the set of all meromorphic sections of the line bundle  $L \otimes K_X^{-k}$  with empty indeterminacy set, where  $k$  depends on the sphere.

## Gibbons-Hawking spaces

**Theorem 1.** Let  $M$  be a simply-connected, complete four dimensional hyperKähler manifold. If there exists a hyperKähler  $S^1$  action on  $M$  admitting a hyperKähler moment map, then  $M$  is obtained by the Gibbons-Hawking Ansatz [3].

We are interested in Multi-Taub-NUT spaces, which are obtained by taking an  $S^1$  principal bundle over  $\mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{p_1, \dots, p_n\}$ , which locally around each point  $p_k$  is the extended Hopf bundle  $R^4 \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}$ . They admit a hyperKähler metric which can be extended "over the singularities", i.e. by adding  $n$  single points one obtains a complete hyperKähler manifold. By requiring the points  $p_1, \dots, p_n$  to lie on a straight line, one obtains a permuting  $S^1$  action rotating the complex structures  $J$  and  $K$ , while fixing  $I$ . A hyperKähler  $S^1$  action is given by the  $S^1$ -principle bundle action.

## Further Results

For transversality reasons, one perturbs the second equation  $F_a^+ = \mu \circ u + \phi$  for  $\phi \in \mathcal{H}_{\bar{\partial}}^{2,0}(X)$ .

For a generic perturbation  $\phi$ , the equations are transversal and the moduli space consists of finitely many single points, more explicitly:

**Theorem 2.** If  $L$  admits a holomorphic structure, the moduli space of the perturbed gen. SW equations with perturbation  $\phi$  and target space the Multi-Taub-NUT space with  $n$  spheres consists of holomorphic sections of  $L$  dividing  $\phi^n$ , up to scalars.

## Open Problems/Future work

- Can one explicitly describe the moduli space if  $L$  does not admit a holomorphic structure?
- One needs to show that we indeed obtain invariants of complex structures admitting Kähler metrics (one would like to take a path of complex structures and then do a Cobordism argument, but what if  $L$  stops being holomorphic for some of these?).
- Generalize to symplectic manifolds and almost complex structures.

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